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PROPOSED CLAIM AMENDMENTS

Applicant submits the following proposed claim amendments to be discussed in a telephone interview with Patent Examiner Chuong T. Ho and Supervisory Patent Examiner Huy D. Vu.

Applicant submits that the proposed claim amendments would be entitled to entry after final at least because: (i) the proposed claims amendments clearly would place the case in condition for allowance and/or (ii) the proposed claim amendments would place the case in better form for appeal.

Applicant respectfully directs the Examiner to MPEP § 714.13 and reminds the Examiner that the refusal to enter the proposed amendment should not be arbitrary. The proposed amendment should be given sufficient consideration to determine whether the claims are in condition for allowance and/or whether the issues on appeal are simplified.

Respectfully submitted,

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